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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Makoto KITABATAKE, et al.

Application No.: 10/536,828

Filed: May 27, 2005

For: SEMICONDUCTOR APPARATUS

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required.

Applicant is entitled to small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27

Also attached:

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	18	20	0	\$50.00 =	\$0.00
Independent Claims	2	3	0	\$200.00 =	\$0.00
		Multiple dependent	Multiple dependent claims newly presented		\$0.00
		Fee for extension of time		\$0.00	
					\$0.00
		Total of Above Calculations		\$0.00	

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Respectfully submitted,

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Sir:

The following amendment and remarks are submitted in response to the Official Action mailed September 25, 2006.

Amendment to Title of Invention begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.

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AMENDMENT TO TITLE OF INVENTION

Please replace the title of the invention with the following new title:

"SEMICONDUCTOR APPARATUS INCLUDING POWER SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE

CONSTRUCTED BY USING WIDE BAND GAP SEMICONDUCTOR"